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Young Man Kills Himself Deed Is Carefully Planned

Edward Patterson, formerly assistant section foreman of the L. & N. railroad at this place but who has been employed in the railroad shops at South Louisville for the past five years shot and killed himself at the home of his brother-in-law, Frank Hunt, near Finley, late Saturday night. Letters in his pocket indicated that he had worried over domestic affairs. The funeral services were held at Palestine, in Taylor county, Tuesday and burial was in the cemetery there.

Patterson, who was a son of Elijah Patterson, of the Finley section, was a young man of fine habits and modest disposition. He was attentive to his work and everyone who knew him liked him. His death came as a shock both to his family and friends.

The young man arrived here on the 8 o'clock train from Louisville Saturday night and to several persons who knew him he talked cheerfully, at no time intimating other than that he had come for a short visit to his old home. Going to a local garage he secured a machine and a driver and was taken to Finley, where he arrived at a late hour in the night. From Finley he walked by the home of his parents to the residence of Hunt, his brother-in-law. He did not go to the house but walked through the yard to Mr. Hunt's barn. The barking of a dog on the place aroused Mr. Hunt and thinking someone was attempting to steal some wheat in the barn he went out in his yard. A moment later he saw the flash and heard the report of a revolver at the barn.

Returning to the house Mr. Hunt telephoned a neighbor who hurried to Mr. Hunt's home. The two went to the barn to make an investigation. Just inside the door Mr. Hunt stumbled over the body of his brother-in-law, who was breathing his last.

Three letters, all addressed to Mr Hunt, were found in Patterson's clothing. In them he asked that his wife in Louisville be notified of his death, and stated that he had come to Finley because he wanted to die at his old home. He also asked that his people see that his two children, 4 and 6 years old, be cared for and educated, and gave directions about his burial. The letters were written before his arrival here and were in his clothes at the time he conversed with local friends.

His widow, who was Miss Pearl Judd, of this county, and two children survive.—Lebanon Enterprise.

Fair Invites Veterans.

The management of the State Fair has extended a cordial invitation to all Confederate veterans to attend the fair on September 12, which has been set apart as Governors' and Military Day. Especial courtesies will be extended all veterans who attend. Those who do attend are requested to meet at the office of W. J. Gooch, the fair secretary, at 11 o'clock that morning and join in a short parade accompanied by bands playing National airs. The veterans are requested to wear their Confederate uniforms, Confederate buttons or Camp badge, one or all.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Dog Saved Child From Being Killed.

The right kind of dog makes a splendid protector for the children. It seems to be the chosen occupation of certain breeds to watch the little toddlers when the parents' eyes are not upon them. How many times does the quick-witted, four footed playmate and guardian keep the little ones from danger and harm! Instances are without number. The editor of the Fort Deposit (Alabama) Clarion sends to us for publication the following true story related to him by his neighbor, a druggist:

This gentleman has a full-blooded, registered collie about one year and a half old. He also has a bright little boy of three. The little boy and dog are great friends. Wherever you see one you see the other.

Some time ago the little boy came down to the drug-store to pay his father a visit. Many trains pass here in the afternoon and he asked his father to let him go outside and see them as they passed. His father gave him permission and the boy went out and stood at the edge of the pavement for awhile, the dog keeping close to his side. Soon a fast passenger train came along—one of those that doesn't stop, but rushes past at about forty miles an hour. Child like, the little fellow left the pavement and started to go nearer the track. After going a few steps the collie took hold of the boy's arm with his teeth and wouldn't let him go one step nearer the track until the fast train had passed. The little fellow scolded the dog, and struck him with his free hand, but the collie set back and held on to him until the express had gone by.

This is a true story, without frills or flourishes. That dog is worth his weight in gold and proved to be much more careful with its charge than the average nurse would have been.—Our Dumb Animals.

Paper Famine and Prices.

The price of paper, which has been advanced from 100 to 200 per cent., or more over prices prevailing a year ago, seriously threatens the life of a large number of publications throughout the country and greatly lessens the profits of others.

It is doubtful if any other large industry in the United States has had to face so serious a situation, because when prices of raw materials have advanced the manufacturers of the finished products have advanced their prices and thus thrown the burden on the ultimate consumer. In the newspaper business this has not yet been done. The newspapers, from the largest dailies to the smallest weeklies, have been bearing the burden which to many publications will mean complete destruction and to many others the wiping out of all profit.

Had the newspapers of the country been as prompt to defend their own interests as they have the interests of others, they, too, would before this have undertaken to save themselves by an advance in subscription price and in advertising rates. Under existing conditions they will be forced to do this sooner or later, and they can not postpone it much longer without serious financial embarrassment to many of them. Hundreds of the smaller weeklies, including the religious papers, which have had but a very narrow margin between loss and profit, will, we fear, suffer most seriously, and many of them disastrously, unless the public promptly recognizes the situation and accepts an advance in subscription and in advertising rates and thus saves the situation.

The day laborer, the mechanic the farmer and nearly all business interests, manufacturing and mercantile, under the activity of the times, are showing larger earnings than for years. But the newspapers, as a whole, are meeting a more perplexing problem in the doubling, and in some cases the trebling, of price of paper, and in the absolute inability to contract in advance for supplies, than they have had to face before. The statements which have recently appeared in the daily papers on the subject do not at all exaggerate the seriousness of the problem.—Manufacturer's Record.

Going On The Road.

A special from Mayfield says that George Bingham will start on the road with his Hogwallow show sometime in the early part of September. As the editor of the "Hogwallow Kentuckian" Bingham has made a national reputation as a humorous writer. He has announced that he will resume the publication of the Hogwallow Kentuckian at an early date. He will write the copy for the weekly while on the road with the show, and will employ a business manager to look after the business interest of the paper. The Hogwallow Kentuckian will be published at Paducah, where the office of the weekly was located.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve
For Piles, Burns, Sores

Another Falsehood Shattered

Col. Roosevelt and other Republicans have devoted much criticism to the alleged inefficiency of the United States Navy under the Wilson administration. The New York World has made a careful investigation of conditions and finds that the reverse of the charges is true, the navy being better organized, better officered and manned, better supplied with ammunition, more economically operated and better balanced than at any other time in its history. Every branch of the naval service has been greatly improved since March 4th, 1913, and the organization of the Atlantic and other fleets developed to a higher degree of efficiency.

The present administration has added ninety-six vessels to the active and reserve fleets in the Atlantic and will have 25 battleships, 43 destroyers, 22 submarines and 72 other vessels 172 in all, co-operating in the summer manoeuvers this year. During three years the administration has authorized the construction of 10 dreadnaughts and battle cruisers, 4 scout cruisers, 29 destroyers, 76 submarines and largely increased the ammunition, torpedo and projectile outputs. It has also established a naval reserve, saved the country $1,110,000 on armor on a race and effected numerous other contracts aggregating millions. Desertion has dropped 50 per cent and is steadily decreasing. Secretary Daniels has added 6,331 men to the enlisted men of the navy and for the first time in many years there are more men on the pay roll of the navy than Congress has actually authorized.

Viewed from every angle the Wilson administration has been the greatest in history and has accomplished more for the good of the country than any in the memory of men.

The people will not be fooled by criticisms that have no foundation, but recognizing the great services of Woodrow Wilson, will see that he is re-elected to continue his efforts to relieve the country of Republican misrule, and thereby maintain prosperity.

Notice To Road Contractors

Sealed proposals for the improvement of State Aid Road in Washington County, Kentucky, will be received by the Fiscal Court, at the County Court House in Springfield, Ky., until 12 o'clock, noon, Sept 18, 1916.

The work proposed to be done involves approximately:

500 cubic yards of excavation
4800 cubic yards of surfacing
30 cubic yards of concrete
Six mile resurfacing 9 ft wide (Approximately 4800 cubic yds crushed rock

A certified check for $250 must accompany each bid submitted.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Plans and specification may be seen and form of proposal obtained at the office of J. A. Wycoff, County Clerk, Washington, Ky., also at the Department of Public Roads, Frankfort, Kentucky.

J. A. WYCOFF, County Clerk

Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of Execution No. 12377 directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Washington Circuit Court, in favor of S. A. Russell against R. T. Gardner, I, or one of my deputies, will on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916

between the hours of 1:00 o'clock p.m. and 2:00 o'clock p.m., at the Court House door in Springfield, county of Washington, Ky., expose to Public Sale to the highest bidder, the following property (or so much thereof as may satisfy the amount of the Plaintiffs debt, interest and costs), to-wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Washington county, Ky., and bounded on the north by St. Rose and Loretto pikr, on the west by Dr. Wright and Lud Ball on south by Kidwell heirs and J. D. Stanfield, on the east by John A. Medley and school house lot and contains 28 acres and two roods. There is excepted from this boundary 1-4 acre heretofore sold to Albert Sidney Gardner.

Amount of debt, interest and cost, $347.49

TERMS—Sale will be made on a credit of three months, bond with approved security required, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from day of sale, and having the force and effect of a sale bond. This 24th day of June 1916.

H. B. EDDLEMAN, S. W. C.

A Few Beauty Hints.

Here are some practical suggestions that will make the face beautiful:

Learn to think; develop your intelligence. An empty head can hardly maintain real beauty of the face.

Keep smiling, keep cheerful. Let the light of gladness on your face to make up for any lack on nature's part.

Be thoroughly, genuinely unselfish. Don't think about how you look, but about what you can do to make other people happy.

Cultivate health. Do lots of work and take plenty of exercise. Live all you can in the open air. Use water generously inside and out.

Forget all about your desire to be beautiful. Get enthusiastic about trying to bring gladness to others. And then if you could hear what other people are saying about you when you are not near, you will think you have found real beauty.

Points In Senator James' Notification Speech.

The Wilson Administration destroyed the money trust and the panic trust.

It achieved preparedness.

It passed the Shipping Bill and cast out subsidies.

It enacted a Rural Credits Bill for the benefit of the farmer.

It maintained peace with Europe and with Mexico without sacrifice of American rights.

It added to the stature and health of future Americans by enactment of the Child Labor Bill.

It secured prosperity, with American exports now the greatest in the world.

It destroyed the powerful and insidious congressional lobby.

"The people know," said Senator James to Wilson, "that you are unbossed—unowned—unafraid."

"When peace shall spread her white wings over a charred and bloody world, in the quiet of the chamber of the just historian, when the din and the roar of political antagonism and passion of partisanship shall have died away, when principle shall actuate men and parties rather than appetite, when ambition shall have no longer lure men and parties to unjust attack, the historian will accord to you and your Administration a foremost place in the republic's life."

Good Farm For Sale

I desire to sell privately my farm of 120 acres on the Bardstown pike four miles from Springfield. All first-class strong land, half of it Cartwright creek bottom. Farm is well-improved has on it large dwelling, good tobacco and stock barn, well watered, and has a good orchard. Write, call or phone

BEN CECIL, R F D 1

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

Points In President's Speech Of Acceptance

The time has come for the country to relegate provincialism and little Americanism to statesmanship.

The United States in the future must lead, not borrow; act, not imitate; organize and initiate, not follow.

"Mistakes (in the Mexican policy) I have no doubt made, but not in purpose or object."

The Democrats initiated and executed reforms which the Republicans never even attempted in their sixteen years of power.

The Republicans were driven from the Government because they served the special interests not the country.

The situation in Mexico is a test of the Big Brotherhood policy of the United States.

The Democrats have carried out not only their own programs but most of the Progressive platform. "We are also Progressives," said the President.

The St. Louis platform is a pledge and a programme.

Referring to hyphenism, the President said: "I neither seek the favor nor fear the displeasure of that small alien element among us which puts loyalty to any foreign Power before loyalty to the United States."

His Whiskers offended.

"The World has a kind and affectionate regard for Charles E. Hughes," New York World.

So has the Courier-Journal. But his whiskers offended us. They remind us of old Carranza. They bristle with high tariff, armor-plate flukes that scratch the damask of our silky-white Democratic cheek. They are meant to hide, but they do not conceal, Penrose, Gallinger and Barnes—the militant ones of the Old Guard—but we can see them as plain as day, their legs a-wiggling underneath the bushy barricade. In spite of all, we must disemble our love and kick the traitors out of the voting booth and down the corridors of "the might have been."—Courier-Journal.

Two Farms For Sale

I desire to sell privately my farms situated on the St. Rose and Loretto turnpike. The home farm contains about 65 acres, all in grass except about 12 acres. Has good dwelling and all necessary outbuildings. The other farm contains about 120 acres more or less and close to county road. Has small house on it and all necessary outbuildings. Mostly in grass.

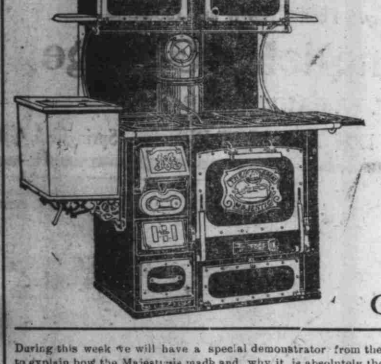
Terms reasonable.

Jas. B. Hill

On every purchase of $1 or more cash at my store you will be presented with 5 percent of purchase price with some article out of stock.

A. C. Rimbell

Special Demonstration and Sale
GREAT MAJESTIC RANGES
"The Range With a Reputation"
For one week only
Commencing Monday, September 11



During this week we will have a special demonstrator from the Majestic Factory to explain how the Majestic is made and why it is absolutely the best range; why it lasts longer, and cuts down repair expenses; why it bakes bread evenly, top, sides and bottom without turning; why it uses so little fuel and saves food waste. He will explain its labor saving construction and why, it heats an abundance of water good and hot—a mighty convenient and useful thing to have a big supply of hot water always on hand isn't it.

To buy a range he must is almost certain to end in disappointment and loss of money it may be "exactly as represented" yet not be what you thought it was nor what you wanted.

Here you can see every part of the Majestic—you can know what you are getting before you buy. Decide now that you will discontinue using that old, worn-out range. You will save money in fuel, repairs and cooking. Buy a Majestic the range with 25 years' reputation. The demonstrator will answer any questions relating to stoves.

Children's Souvenir Day
Tuesday of Demonstration Week from 3 to 5 p. m.
125 Majestic Aeroplanes FREE!
FUN FUN FUN

Boys and girls, old and young, you can have a world of fun with the Majestic Aeroplane. It is easily made to fly from 10 to 50 feet in the air. You will all want one. Don't fail to get yours. The first 125 boys and girls who present to the Majestic Range Salesman, at our store, between 3 and 5 p. m. on Tuesday, written answers to the following questions will receive one of these aeroplanes FREE.

1. What is the name of your mother's range and how long has it been in use?
2. Give names of any persons you know needing a new range.
3. Why is the Majestic known as the Range with a reputation.
4. What is your age?
5. When is your birthday?

$1.00 Article FREE.
The boy or girl giving the neatest and best answer to the third question may select any $1.00 article from our stock in addition to the souvenir.

A Prize For Everybody.
Don't be disappointed if you not one of the 125 to get an aeroplane. You will receive a little Puzzle Card that will afford you many hours of amusement. Be sure to have your answers ready to hand in at our store Tuesday afternoon, between 3 and 5. They must be written if you wish to receive a souvenir or prize.



This $8.00 Set of Granite and Copper Ware FREE
As a special inducement during our demonstration week only, we will give with every Majestic sold, one handsome set of kitchen ware as illustrated. Every piece is the finest of its kind and the entire set cannot be purchased for less than $8.00. The price of the Majestic remains the same as always and the quality of the stove is the same. This kitchen ware is an out and out present. See it at our store.

Everybody Welcome
Even though you do not want to buy a new range right now, it will be worth your while to attend this demonstration and know all about the Majestic Range. You are placed under no obligation to buy.

Keep this Date in your mind's eye. Bring you neighbor with you.
McCLURE & SIMMS

PUBLIC SALE
OF FINE
FARM
I will on the premises on
Tuesday, September 19, 1916
AT 1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.,
offer for sale my farm situated on the Springfield and Mackville turnpike and known as the Arch Perkins farm. This farm contains
102 ACRES
is located four miles from Springfield, is in high state of cultivation and one of the best fenced and grassed farms in the county, well watered, having on it 7 or 8 never failing springs. It is well improved having on it a good 9-room dwelling, good tobacco barn and stock barn and all other necessary outbuildings in excellent repair. It is all choice bottom land which will grow anything. On a good pike and convenient to school and churches.
Possession given January 1st, 1917, with immediate possession if desired. Terms liberal and made known on day of sale.
For further information call on Howard Marksburry on the premises or the undersigned
CHAS. MARKSBURRY

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WM. VOORHIES

as a candidate for Jailer of Washington county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1917

Fair View.

Mrs. Julia Parks has returned to her home in Danville after an extended visit to her sister, Mrs F. M. Carney.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lewis attended the Fair at Bardstown Thursday

Miss Vivian Nalley was in Louisville one day last week.

Mr. Willie Carney attended the Bardstown Fair Thursday

Mrs. Samuel Yocum and children were guests of her sister Mrs. Preyston Moore.

Little Sarah Bell Woford was the guest of her grandfather last week

Several from here attended the pie supper at Maud Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bodine visited Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Grigsby Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Carney and children dined with Mr. and Mrs. Cleyton Wiford Sunday

Mr. Joe Bodine of Nelson county spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Bodine

Commissioners Sale

W. W. McElroy, etc Pltfs
vs Equity
T. N. Smith, J. I Wimsett, et al Defts

By virtue of Judgment and order of sale of the Washington Circuit Court rendered at the May term 1916, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Springfield, Ky.,

MONDAY, SEPT; 25, 1916

at 1:00 o'clock, p.m., or thereabout, being county court day, to the highest bidder, upon a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, payments to be equal, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Washington county, Ky., on the waters of Lotus Fork about 4½ miles north of Springfield and formerly known as the Tom Duncan farm, containing 175 acres, 3 roods and 6 poles, more or less. This is one of the most productive farms in Washington county and has first-class improvements consisting of good frame residence, tenant house, large stock barn and two large tobacco barns.

The above property is sold to satisfy debts as follows:

W W McElroy note for $1386.00 with annual interest from Jan. 1, 1911, to Sept. 25, 1916, subject to a credit of $300 March 12, 1916 $1553.92

A. C. Kimball, Admr., etc. note for $1386, and interest from Jan. 1, 1912, to Sept. 25, 1916 1,766.48

People's Deposit Bank, 2 notes for $1236.00 each and interest from Jan. 1, 1916, to Sept 25, 1916 $2,734.46

Cost estimated 80.00

Total $6,187.80

For the purchase price the purchaser or purchasers with approved security or surety must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these termse.

C. F. BOSLEY, M. C. W C. C.

Hermit's Advice.

Are you baldheaded, why so? There's no reason for it. Fasting will make your hair grow. This is according to a hermit who was found living in Van Cortlandt park, New York. He told the court that he had been fasting for scientific purposes. Before his fast, which had lasted 53 days, he said his beirry was as bald as a billiard ball. "Now look at it," and he pointed to the top of his head, which was covered with a wilderness of hair that would have made him eligible to any all-American football team. According to the hermit, if the baldheaded man follows his instructions the famous first row at a musical comedy will no more consist of nothing but round domes. These are the directions: Live in the open air; drink about two quarts of water a day; do not eat any food. Nix on the eats. If any baldheaded person does this, says the hermit, in a couple of months his thinning apparatus will resemble that of a Russian Cossack.

Be It Ever So Humble.

When war broke out in Europe a Savannah negro had been doing a bone-rattling, banjo thumping act in one of the London music halls, and, like the Georgia negro who told Judge Latshaw in Kansas City that if released he would go so far that it would take $9 to send him a postal card, he wanted to get back home.

Along with a miscellaneous company of Americans he was besieging the American consulate when a southerner in the crowd, noticing him, said: "Nigger, what are you doing here?"

Wheeling with the light of discovery in his eye, Rastus replied: "Fo' God's sake, boss, 'sist dis nigger to git back to ol' Georgy. Ise so hungry I c'n hook de pork chops callin'!"—Collier's Weekly.

Retort Courteous.

Chairman Walsh of the industrial relations commission is used to holding his own with millionaires. They tell a story about a millionaire with whom he played a round of golf during one of his committee investigations last year.

It was on the millionaire's private course, and Mr. Walsh, teeing off, sliced the ball, which fell into a marsh

"New ball, caddy," he said.

"But, Mr. Walsh," the millionaire remonstrated, "aren't you going to look for that ball?"

"No, sir; I'm not," Mr. Walsh answered.

"But, Mr. Walsh," persisted the millionaire, "that ball cost 75 cents."

Mr. Walsh looked the millionaire in the eye and smiled.

"My dear sir," he said, "when I get to be as rich as you are maybe I'll be able to afford the time to look for lost golf balls. Caddy, put the new one here."

Jolly Optimist.

Lord Reading, at a dinner given in his honor in New York by Joseph H Choate, was asked how long the war would last.

"It will last a great while or a little while, according as you are an optimist or a pessimist," said Lord Reading. "Let me tell you a trench story.

"Two soldiers were smoking under a tree somewhere in France.

"'This war will last a long time yet,' said the first soldier. 'Our company has planted rose bushes in front of our trench.'

"'Oh, you jolly optimists!' said the other. 'We've planted acorns in front of ours.'"

Hangs Dogs to Dodge Tax.

Tony Cochato outwitted an East Mahoning township assessor by placing his two dogs in sacks and hanging the sacks to the ceiling of his coal house. Believing the man owned dogs, the assessor made a thorough search of the property, but could not find them. When asked where the dogs were Cochato replied that he had hanged them.

The assessor left, 'and Cochato would have escaped the dog tax had he not been so pleased with the joke that he could not keep from telling it. —Indiana (Pa.) Dispatch to Philadelphia North American.

OLD NAMES FOR NEW SHIPS

Appellations of Famous Sea Fighters May Again Be Used in American Fleet.

Should congress provide for the construction of several battle cruisers the navy department will in all probability name the new ships after several famous old frigates which helped to make American history, the Cincinnati Times-Star states.

The starting of a new class of ships in our navy makes possible the carrying out of this idea. Under the present system of naval nomenclature battleships are named after states, cruisers after cities and torpedo craft after naval heroes. Colliers bear more or less classic names, while underwater craft have been designated by useful but not significant letters and numerals. Communities of course have taken great interest in ships bearing their names, but at the same time the present rule has been responsible for the disappearance from the navy lists of many names which are alive with historic interest and the flavor of naval tradition.

If the navy department puts into use the idea now under consideration Americans will in a few years glory in the spectacle of a Bonhomme Richard, a Constellation or, maybe a Hartford once more going to sea under the flag. The famous old Constitution is still carried, although nominally, on the naval lists. As long as she will float Americans will insist that she keep her honored place. But there are still left plenty of historic names which should be perpetuated and honored in our modern navy.

LOCK OF NAPOLEON'S HAIR

Kelts of Emperor, Obtained During His St. Helena Imprisonment, Sold in New York.

A lock of Napoleon Bonaparte's hair, obtained while he was at St. Helena, was bought by George D. Smith for $107.50 at the John E. Burton library sale in the Anderson galleries at New York. It is preserved within folio sheets of celluloid and was accompanied by a letter of Capt. Thomas Popleton of the Fifty-third regiment, who was "permanent orderly" over Bonaparte until the close of June, 1817.

The library of the Nebraska university paid $280 for a fine copy of John Kingsborough's "Antiquities of Mexico," published in London in 1831-48. J. F. Lewis gave $88 for a manuscript Koran written in the seventeenth century, in red and black on native glazed paper. Each page is within ruled gold lines and the first two pages are surrounded by ornamental borders in gold and colors.

Seals Again Plentiful.

Under the precautions taken to prevent the extinction of the fur seals in Alaska and the Pribilof islands the species has multiplied so rapidly that the bureau of fisheries now recommends that the killing of male seals be resumed.

Ever since the signing of the pelagic treaty between Russia, England Japan and our own nation, prohibiting the destruction of fur seals upon the high seas, the government has taken an occasional census of the seals. The last of these fixed the number of seals owned by the United States at 301,844, as against less than twenty thousand in 1906.

Besides fur, other possible use of the seal is being considered by the bureau of fisheries. The scarcity of the world's meat supply and the tremendous increase in seals as revealed by the last census suggest the shipping of seal meat to the United States for food. Those who have tasted it say that meat from a young seal is delicious in flavor and that seal steak would be a popular addition to a fashionable hotel menu.

English Writer's Ignorance.

Duke Chalmers, the essayist, was talking about war writers.

"A great grist of English literary hacks," he said, "were thrown out of regular work when the war began, and so they all turned themselves into 'our military correspondent,' and lied out optimistic soothing syrup to the public in the daily press at a guinea a column.

"One writer reminds me of the young lady who once carried on a club naval argument with Admiral Mahan at a dinner. A third person said to her in some astonishment:

"'Why, how well you talk up to the admiral on these abstruse naval topics!'

"'Oh,' said the young lady, 'I've only been concealing my ignorance.'

"'Not at all,' said Admiral Mahan, gallantly. 'Quite the contrary.'"

Discovering Borax.

Nobel's accidental discovery of dynamite has a number of parallels. The value of one of our chief preservatives was made known by a trapper in Yellowstone Park coming upon the dead body of a horse. The animal must have been dead a considerable time, yet the body was perfectly preserved, and this arousing his curiosity, led to an examination of a peculiar dust with which it was covered. It proved to be borax, hitherto used only in glazing linen, but destined by that accidental discovery to become one of the most used of chemical compounds in many fields of industry.

Lucky English Angler.

A lucky angler, on the first experience of fishing, has caught at Staines, England, a golden tench, stated to be the first caught in the Thames for the last 20 years. It was 14 inches long and weighed one pound and fourteen ounces.

Good Water or Missions.

Last summer a man in an American city read the statement in a missionary magazine that ten cents would buy either a glass of ice cream soda or pay the rent for one Sunday of a room in which thirty children from the street are gathered each week for Sunday school in India. Whereupon he wrote to the editor a letter in which he complained that his peace of mind had been greatly disturbed. "Just think," he said, "what this will mean to me tomorrow, and the next day, and for days to come. I will start for a cool glass of soda water and find in the bottom of the glass the faces of thirty street children of India looking at me!"

In the letter, however, he inclosed two dollars (with the promise of more) to be credited to the missionary society of his church, the purpose of the gift being, "to restore his peace of mind for a couple of weeks at least."

CLASS FOR LADY RIDERS PRETTY FEATURE OF COMING STATE FAIR



One of the prettiest and most popular horse show features of the entire Kentucky State Fair celebration is the class for lady riders. At the coming Kentucky State Fair, to be held in Louisville the week of September 11-16, some of the best horsewomen of the country will figure. Above is pictured Mrs. Hazel Ritchie Elbert, of Chicago, Ills., who will be a "bright, particular star" of this season's equestrienne galaxy.

WOMEN'S EXHIBIT OF HANDIWORK

Forms A Leading Feature of the State Fair

Along with the fruition of garden, field and orchard there is growing to perfection in the State of Kentucky another crop of keen and vital interest to womankind. This is the blossoming harvest of handiwork which will form one of the greatest exhibits of the State Fair scheduled for the week of September 11-16, in Louisville. Up to Aug. 28, the final day for entry in the Woman's Department, busy fingers will be fashioning a bewildering and entrancing list of useful, ornamental and artistic articles. For the proper display and housing of the myriad interesting and valuable entries in these departments State Fair Secretary W. J. Gooch has made elaborate improvements which will materially enhance the appearance of the department as well as offer many additional conveniences to the officials in charge. Of these departmental heads, appointed by Hon. Mat S. Cohen, Member in Charge, Mrs. Harry McCarty, of Nicholasville, tops the list as General Superintendent.

In the section of the Woman's Department, known as the Woman's Show, all articles of feminine manufacture will be sold free of entry or commission charge.

SPECIAL SEASON BOOKS

The Kentucky State Fair management has issued season books for the fourteenth annual Kentucky State Fair to be held in Louisville, September 11-16. There are both day and night season books, the day season books containing six admission tickets for the sum of $2. The night season book, good for either the outside entrance gates to the Fair or to the big Pavilion Hippodrome show, are sold at the rate of six tickets for $1.

Merchandise tickets are also being distributed throughout the State by wholesale dealers as trade inducements, the tickets being placed with the dealers on a consignment basis, and the handlers will be held responsible only for the tickets actually used at the Fair gates.

Monday, September 11, will be tenent bargain day for women and children, with a bargain-day price of 5c to all the Great Dominion Show Midway attractions.

Admission to the Grand Hippodrome Show in the Pavilion at 7:15 p. m., will be 25c.

Cut rates have been announced by all railroads leading into Louisville during State Fair week.

KEEN RIVALRY IN GRAIN EXHIBIT

It is a well known fact that Kentucky is one of the greatest corn growing States in the Union and that she is not far back in the van as regards field seed and grain of every variety. For that reason every resident of the State should feel a personal pride in this prestige and each and every agriculturist make an earnest and strenuous attempt to have the field seed and grain exhibit at the great Kentucky State Fair, which will be held in Louisville September 11-16, the most extensive in its history and a showing representative of the State's ability in the grain line. One of the most interesting features of the entire field seed and grain department is the competitive exhibits of the various counties. Rivalry between the sections is keen and in consequence the showing is a worthy one.

Grain and seeds must be exhibited in neat packages or sacks and prospective exhibitors must list their names with State Fair Secretary W. J. Gooch not later than September 4, and exhibits must reach the Fair Grounds not later than September 9. Judging in the field seed and grain department begins Monday, September 11, at 11 o'clock.

TOBACCO EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

One of the most interesting, vital and important features of the coming Kentucky State Fair, to be held in Louisville, September 11-16, will be the Tobacco exhibit. The prizes in this particular department will number 41, divided among 23 classes for Burley type product, crop of 1915; Burley type, crop of 1916; dark type, crop of 1915, and dark type, crop of 1916. As tobacco is one of Kentucky's most noted products this department should claim the interest and pride of every State Fair visitor. Evan S. Rees, of Springfield, is superintendent of the Department, entries for which will close September 4, for county exhibits and September 6 for individual growers.

Such tobacco enjoyment



as you never thought could be is *yours to command* 'quick as you buy some Prince Albert and fire-up a pipe or a home-made cigarette!

Prince Albert gives you every tobacco satisfaction your smoke-appetite ever hankered for. That's because it's made by a patented process that *cuts out* bite and parch! Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality!

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Pursuant to an order of the United States District Court for the Western District of Kentuckp, in the matter of R. H. Edelen, Bankrupt, the undersigned as trustee of the bankrupt estate will until 2 P.M.

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Madame Sans-Gene.

In spite of all the nursing and mourning in the city, Paris still retains a touch of gayety. It is related that a certain lawyer of Paris, whose delight it has always been to make solemn folks laugh, appeared the other day as counsel for a woman charged with some not too grave misdemeanor. She was only a washerwoman, she was elderly and plain, and the court was distinctly bored.

"Gentlemen," the lawyer exclaimed suddenly, addressing the bench, "gentlemen, you cannot find my client guilty."

"And why not?" asked the presiding magistrate somewhat sharply.

"Because," came the smooth reply, "she washes for General Joffre, and it is her glorious privilege at this moment to be weeping into one of his handkerchiefs."

The entire bench of magistrates thereupon gave strict attention to the case. They not only found the washerwoman guilty as charged, but added ten days to her sentence for stealing General Joffre's handkerchief.

Edison's Incandescent.

According to a friend, Thomas A. Edison is of the opinion that it was anger that first turned him toward investing the incandescent light, reports the Newark News. How it happened is related by the friend, who says:

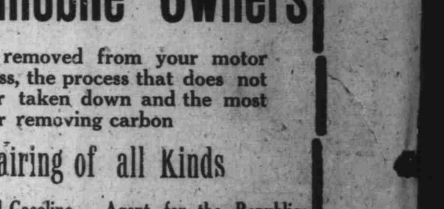
"That was of course in the early days and Mr. Edison was then quite the inventor that one reads of—poor, enthusiastic, never sleeping. He lived in a small house innocent of anything approaching a laboratory; scientific devices were in every room, and all the money went for experiments. Then one day came the crisis in the gales of the collector for the gas company. He had been in the house often, but Edison, hardly heeding his calls, had waved him away, saying: 'Don't bother me.

"On this last call the collector's instructions were peremptory. He must 'turn off the gas.'

New Method of Finding Longitude.

The novel method of finding longitude lately tried by Professor Lippmann, the French astronomer, is the comparison of simultaneous photographs of the sky taken at two stations.

The zenith being shown by an artificial star, the difference in the places of natural stars very accurately indicates the difference in longitude, and if the longitude of one place is known that of the other can be fixed with an uncertainty claimed to be only a few feet—perhaps ten or fifteen.



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Vinol is guaranteed to tone up the tired, over-taxed and weakened nerves of the stomach and create strength.

DISCOUNT ON CZAR'S CHECK
Painter Learned Something About How Business is Conducted in the Realm of Nicholas.
When Professor Tuxen, the Danish artist, had finished his great work, "The Coronation of Edward VII," he received, it appears, an order from the Russian emperor for a copy of this painting, for which the czar was to pay 13,000 rubles.
In due course the professor repaired to Petrograd to deliver the painting. He was granted an audience with the czar, who expressed his satisfaction with the picture and who handed the professor an order for the sum agreed upon.
When the professor presented the check for payment he was told that an order from the emperor was subject to a discount, and he had, therefore, to accept a sum considerably smaller than the face value of the check.
Before his departure from Russia the professor had a farewell audience with the czar, who, in the course of conversation, asked him: "Did you get your money, professor?"
Professor Tuxen replied that he had not intended to mention the matter, but since his majesty himself raised the question, he would say that he had received only part of the money.
At this the czar seemed not at all surprised, but calmly made out another order for the sum which had been deducted from the original amount, and thus Tuxen got his money.—Washington Star.

Cuts a Week.
Senator Kern of Indiana has fond recollections of the small schoolhouse where as a boy he earned his first nickel. He agreed to build a fire in the schoolhouse stove every morning at least an hour before the opening of school, and to sweep up once a day. For this work he received five cents a week! He still feels that he earned it.

Large Russian Wheat Harvest.
Russia in 1913, harvested 947,964,000 bushels of wheat.

TOWN.. TOPICS

Local Happenings of Interes The Freshest and Latest.

All About Yourself, Friends and Acquaintances.

B. D. Clements R. R. 2 has for sale tobacco sticks and oak lumber.

An ice cream supper will be given at the Booker school house by the school, Friday night, September 8th.

Brown & Kidwell, insurance agents, and real estate dealers Springfield, Ky.. Life, Accident Fire.

We have installed a new welding machine to weld all kinds of broken casters. Bring us your broken castings and save money
Edelen & Barber

Mr. F. M. Cecil has been appointed guard at the State Penitentary by Gov. Stanley and left last Saturday to take up his duties. Mr. Cecil is one of the best known Democrats in the county and his legion of friends congratulate him upon his appointment.

The house and lot on High Street, the property of Mrs. Mary E. Corcoran was sold last Saturday at public auction for $1940. Mr. James Patterson was the purchaser.

The property of Mr. Lev Brown on Lebanon Hill was also offered for sale last Saturday but was withdrawn.

The Ladies of Eastern Star Chapter 211, will give a Sock Social and Musicale at Walnut Street Theatre September 27th. Everybody invited.

When about to buy an article such as a range that plays an important part in the daily routine of the home, it pays to examine it carefully and be sure you are getting the best range value. A range expert from the factory will, during the week commencing September the 11, show you how the Majestic is built, why it lasts so long and why it is the best value.
McClure & Simms.

One of the biggest deals in real estate which has taken place here in a long time was the sale yesterday of the Selecman property to the Wakefield West Realty Co. The price paid was not made public, but as it is one of the most desirable pieces of property in the city the consideration was no doubt a good size figure. The Realty Company proposes to subdivide the property into building lots and sell them at public auction in the next few weeks. On account of the location lots on this property will bring a good sum.

Teachers

The last examination for white teachers will be held September 15—16, for colored September 22 and 23.
Ella D. Shaunty,
County Superintendant.

State Fair Tobacco Show.

"I have had several letters and a number of calls relative to the tobacco show at the State Fair. Each one has asked how to make up samples for exhibit, so I have concluded it might be a good idea to publish a few instructions for the benefit of our people who want to make an exhibit of their crops.
First—To make a good show you want 4 samples of twelve hands each of Trash, Sugg, Bright Leaf and Red Leaf.
Second—Pack the 4 samples in a box, put your name and grade on the samples and ship the box by express not later than next Saturday September 9th, to Kentucky State Fair Tobacco Department, Louisville, Ky., and prepay the express.
Third—Write Mr. W. J. Gooch State Fair or myself in care of the State Fair to enter them for you. I will be there after Friday and will be glad to attend to them for you
Yours Truly.
Evan S. Reese

Experience in thousands of homes has proved that the Majestic is the one range that gives real satisfaction and cuts down the cost of living. An expert from the Majestic factory will be at our store during the week commencing September 11, and will show you why the Majestic is the only range for you.
McClure & Simms.

Money At Five Per Cent.

The Farmers Trust Co., of Indianapolis, Ind., has appointed me as their loan representative of Washington and adjoining counties on farm land only at 5 per cent per annum.
See or call on R. C. Brown Real estate dealer.

Laborer Badly Injured.

Joe Montgomery of color was badly injured yesterday afternoon while working with the Washington County Road Crew, in a rock quarry on S. P. Thompson's farm in the Pleasant Grove neighborhood. The crew were working in the rock quarry getting out rock to be used on the Willisburg turnpike which is being worked by the State Aid, they had set a charge of dynamite and the dynamite failing to explode after being touched off, they had waited about an hour and began to drill out the hole again, when for some unknown cause the charge was exploded striking Joe in the right hip and thigh, badly tearing the flesh and shivering the bone. He was at once taken by the way of Lebanon to Louisville to be given medical attention. He was accompanied by Dr. J. H. Hopper and County Attorney Joseph Polin.

Good Woman Dies

Mrs. Mary E. Arnold died at her home on the edge of Washington and Boyle Counties Tuesday Sept 5th, from infermaties of old age in her 78 year. A number of years ago she was united in marriage to Woodson Arnold who preceded her to the grave several years ago. She leaves surviving her one son and two daughters, Mr. W. T. Arnold of Marion county, Mrs. Hair of Boyle county, and Mrs. S. M. Campbell of this place. She was a devout member of the Baptist church, funeral services were conducted at Beech Grove Wednesday, and her remains interred in Bethlehem cemetery.

PERSONAL

Mr. Roscoe Nelley is spending a week in Cincinnati

Miss Vivian Nalley was in Louisville Saturday consulting an eye specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Campbell and daughter Miss Lilly Campbell returned from a visit to Milwaukee

Mrs. Ida Clarkson spent Tuesday at Nazareth.

Mrs. Felix Hamilton and Mr. Will Smith of Lebanon visited friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. H. L. Smith and Mrs. R. A. Nos were in Louisville Tuesday.

Mr. Earnest Tong spent Sunday in Louisville,

Rev. P. F. Hennessey who has been seriously at his home was taken to Lebanon this morning for treatment.

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Good White Corn, no small ears, 95c
Shorts—Midlands $1.50 and $1.65 per hundred, sacks furnished.
Molasses Feed 'Sure fattening kind' per hundred $1.15
Remember, courteous treatment prompt service, quality, and weight included in above. Telephone 111 or call in person and compare quality and prices before buying elsewhere. It will pay you.
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Miss Lula Timmons has returned to her home in Lebanon after a visit to Mrs. Fannie Blanford

Misses Katie Cain, Mary Conway and Louise Shader have returned from a visit to Cincinnati

Mr. John Wharton and sister Mary Steele enterteined a number of their friends Saturday evening from eight to eleven

Mr. and Mrs. W. D McElroy, Gabe and Will Wharton and Marshal Duncan spent Tuesday in Lexington

Miss Isabelle Medley and Master Medley McCaully spent Monday in Louisville.

Miss Mary McClelland has returned to Lebanon after a visit to friends here

Misses Rusie Miller, Margaret Haydon, Margaret Robertson Mary Steele Wharton, Althire Spalding and Gladys Mudd have returned to St. Catharines

Mr. and Mrs. Harry O'Nan of Louisville spent several days here with friends this week

Rev. J. Powell Tucker and wife, of South Carolina, were Tuesday

Mr. C. T. Cunningham, of Lebanon, was in town Saturday.

Miss Nannie Thompson, of Indianapolis, Ind., is spending the week with Miss Jennie Leachman

Walter Clements spent several days in Louisville last week where he will shortly go to enter the practice of law

Messrs. A. M. Duncan, W. D. McElroy, G C and Will Wharton attended the opening of the Republican campaign at Lexington Tuesday

Mr. Ferd Kuhn, Jr., of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting friends here

Miss Corinne McIntire has entered school at Bethlehem Academy

Prof. White of Richmond has arrived and has began teaching in the Springfield Graded School

Mrs. Louis Humphrey entertained at 500 card party this afternoo

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blanford will move to Pewee Valley tomorrow to make their future home. Mr. Blanford buying a farm at that place.

A number of Democrats from here will go to Winchester Saturday to attend the opening of the Democratic campaign in Kentucky. Vice-President Marshall and Congressman Heflin, of Alabama, are among the speakers

Rockbridge

Mrs. Janie Walker and granddaughter Virginia Rice of Louisville are visiting W. M. Coulter and family

Miss Stella Crouch of Sharpsville who has been visiting her uncle Mr. Robert Lee Crouch for the past two weeks has returned home

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Hale of D-Kalb Ill., spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. J. W. Hale.

Mrs. Nancy Scott of Springfield is spending the week with friends and relatives at this place

Mrs Mary Pinkston and children of Willisburg spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson.

Miss Catharine Hale spent last Wednesday with her cousin Mrs. Vernia Shewmaker of Sweet Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Luster Perkins of this place made a business trip to Battle last Wednesday.

Mr. L. M. Satterly and family are spending several days in Shelbyville

Mrs. Derr of Sharpsville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vallaise Royalty.

Mr. Boone Baxter of Springfield spent last week with his brother Mr. Marion Baxter of this place.

Automobile Bargain

If taken at once, one 5-passenger Overland car in first-class condition, $250. Inquire at this office

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1 horse mule coming 4 years old, 1 mare mule 1 year old, 1 horse mule 1 year old, 1 suckling mare mule.
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Two Farms For Sale

I desire to sell privately my farms situated on the St. Rose and Loretto turnpike. The home farm contains about 65 acres, all in grass except about 12 acres. Has good dwelling and all necessary outbuildings. The other farm contains about 120 acres more or less and close to county road. Has small house on it and all necessary outbuildings. Mostly in grass.
Terms reasonable
Jas, B. Hill

A big influx of codfish along the northern and eastern coasts during the latter part of June caused a scarcity in the Ancient Colony. The salt used by the Newfoundland fisherfolk for curing their catch is obtained from Trapani in Sicily and Cadiz in Spain. Practically all the salt in the island has been absorbed, and it is claimed that about 15,000 tons more could be advantageously used if it were available. At least this quantity, and probably more, has been ordered, and should arrive during the next month, but much of it will come to hand too late to be of any real service. This shortage of salt is likely to affect the banking fleet also, which has had exceptional good fortune in its earlier voyages this year. The average price of cod paid last year and the year before, both in Newfoundland and Nova Scotia, was about $5.50 per quintal, but with foreign markets as they are at present it is hoped that at least another twenty-five cents per quintal may be obtained. The fact that fish of late are so plentiful is inducing industry, and also stimulating smaller operators to concentrate the shore fishery more extensively.

"Juju."

There has been nothing more picturesque in the reports of African warfare than a sentence in the belated account of the British defense of Tukum, which is just inside the border of northern Nigeria: "The German officers had repeatedly attempted to take Tukum, but their native troops refused again to face the juju at that place." A worker among native races sends me this word of explanation. "It is no wonder," he says, "that the Germans could not get their natives to advance, as there is nothing they are more terrified at than a juju, which in this instance means that some powerful witch doctor had laid a spell on the place, drawing a line round it which must not be crossed. This line would be marked by pieces of tusk or hair or something of that kind. The natives would be far more afraid of facing the juju than they would be of death, because to do so would raise up against them the spirits of their ancestors."—Manchester Guardian.

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JAPS KNOW NO PROFANITY

Their Language Contains No "Swear-words," Unfortunately So Common in the West.

The Jap is always polite, but once in a while he slips from grace—and when he does he is up against it, for there are no swearwords in the Japanese language, says a writer in Leslie's Weekly. When a Japanese meets you he bows three times and takes off his hat, but does not shake hands. When he greets you his first concern is about your ancestors and next about your stomach. It would be almost an open insult for one Japanese to meet another without asking him how his stomach fared. On the third bow he asks: "This morning, how is it with your honorable inside?" As you coupe up on your third bow you answer to the effect that the place mentioned is doing as well as could be expected and in turn ask him what news he has from the front. Then he lifts his hat again and says: "Your delightful head this morning, I hope it have no commotion." When you tell him that you are pleased to report that it feels well this morning he asks about a few generations of honorable ancestors and then you are free to take up the weather.
Even though they are elaborately polite, once in a while one Japanese will get mad at another. Their anger kindles slowly at first, finally fanning to a blaze that knows no staying. But even though there is a torrent of emotion, seething in his soul there are no words to give it vent; it keeps surging harder and harder until it throws aside all restraint and gives up all idea of decency by putting into one phrase all his bitterness and snapping squarely into the other man's astonished face the worst thing that can be said in the whole language: "Your stomach is not on straight!" This is the final insult; nothing more can be added—he has cast the glove. There is nothing left for him to do but to give his enemy a cutting look, turn on his heel and haughtily clap-clap away on his wooden shoes.

Came Handy in His Line.

"There is nothing like sleep," remarked a chance acquaintance to the newspaper man as he sized up the belated sleepers in a New York subway car in the wee hours of the morning. "All my life I have done whatever has been in my power to help the cause of sleep in the human race. Whenever I have heard that a doctor is counseling his patients to sleep longer, I have made a point of writing him a letter of congratulation. And I do not mind saying that I myself have done a bit to persuade people that sleep is the greatest blessing to mankind." "The perfect sleeper," observed the newspaper man, "is he who by rigid and constant practice has brought his power of sleep to such a stage that he does not awake even when a dynamite bomb is set off in his room." The chance acquaintance leaned back in his seat with rapt expression, as if contemplating a beautiful vision. "And what makes you take such an interest in the slumbers of the human race?" was asked. "I am a burglar," he replied. "But just because one of my fellow men did not reach the stage of somnolent perfection I had to abandon my trade for some years."

No Use.

The civilians who volunteered the services of themselves and their motor cars to convey the Fatherland's holiday gifts to the German troops in the trenches at the front were summoned before a gray old Bavarian general to receive instructions as to their behavior in the enemy's country. The general explained to them that they might expect in passing through a village to be fired on by franc-tireurs, and added that the persons who fired the shots might not always be men entitled to bear arms.
"Take an example," said he, fixing his eagle eye upon one of the volunteers; "suppose you have entered a Belgian village, and while you are spinning along through the market square there is a lively fusillade directed at you from the surrounding houses. You turn toward your assailants and see nothing but empty windows. Only in the second story of one house an old woman is peering out. What would you do in that case, Mr. Meier?"
"I'd not look back," was the ready

To The Public

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Call and see my stock. Prices guaranteed

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Of STOCK, CROPS, Etc.

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Wednesday, Sept. 20,'16
AT 9:30 O'CLOCK, A. M.

on the farm owned by the late J. R. Clements, situated about 3 miles North of Springfield, Ky., near the Springfield and Bloomfield turnpike, offer at public sale 10 head of work mules aged from 2 to 8 years; 1 yearling horse mule and 1 yearling mare mule; eight head of young brood and harness mares, 12 cows and calves, 4 dry cows, 8 heifers due to calve, 4 yearling heifers, 8 yearling steers, 6 sows ready to pig, 1 large registered boar, 40 shoats from 60 to 100 pounds, to be sold in lots; 15 fat hogs, two lots sheep, in one 30 ewes and buck and 9 ewes and buck; 300 hens and chickens, 1 surrey and 1 buggy and harness, 2 hackers, 2 mowers, 3 sets harness, 1 wheat drill 2 farm and spring wagon, other farm implements, tools, etc. about 60 tons of hay in stack or baled, one stack oats, about 40 acres good corn sold sucked in the field.
TERMS:—All sales of $10 or under cash; sums over that amount on a credit of 6 months, evidenced by notes with good security, negotiable and payable at the Springfield State Bank and bearing interest at 6 per cent from date of sale till paid.
At same time I will sell ten shares of stock in the Springfield State Bank and three shares of stock in the Washington County Tobacco Warehouse. This stock will be sold for cash in hand.
J. W. S. Clements, Exr.,
of E. S. and Hallie A. Clements, deceased

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Auction Sale of Cattle, Poultry, Sheep and Swine, Without Entry Fee or Commission, to be Unique Feature—Rich Premiums Offered to Exhibitors.



The unique feature of live stock auction sales on Thursday and Friday of Kentucky State Fair week, September 11-16, is creating tremendous interest among cattle men, poultry handlers and sheep and swine breeders throughout the State. The fact that any owner or dealer in pure bred stock may ship in unlimited amount to the State Fair for "first come, first served" sale under the hammer, without entry fee or commission charge, is an innovation which has aroused widespread approval and endorses the opinion of Commissioner of Agriculture Mat. S. Cohen and State Fair Secretary W. J. Gooch that the project is one which will promote and stimulate the live stock industry of Kentucky. The Kentucky State Fair management will provide housing for the stock shipped to the Fair but owners will be obligated to provide food for their entries. Stock and birds may be entered for auction sale, independent of the departmental or premium contests, or those listed in the various catalogued departments may be also listed for the auction sale. Col. H. E. Kalebaugh, of Louisville, Ky., has been selected as auctioneer, and Col. F. D. Hengst, of Louisville, as manager.

Recognized Nationally.

The coming dairy show at the Kentucky State Fair this fall, will be one of the greatest events of the kind from every point of view that has ever been attempted south of the Ohio River.

Dairy shows have grown to such great proportions during the past few years that it has become necessary to divide the circuit much in the same manner that the trotting horse circuit is now divided and the Kentucky State Fair has been selected as one of the places in the Grand Circuit.

The different breeds of dairy cattle each have their associations with splendid organizations for advancing the interests of their separate kind of cattle. These different associations were brought closely in touch with each other during the foot and mouth disease trouble in Chicago in the fall of 1914.

They formed an organization to work for the entire interests of the dairy breeds. One of the principal things they undertook was to select places where the greatest benefit could be derived by showing the cattle and committees were made to make appropriations of money to be added to the premium list of fairs where these exhibitions would take place.

All the State Fairs in the country immediately began the campaign to secure the Fall dates. Messrs. John Lee, Mat Cohen, W. R. Spann, and other Kentuckians jumped into the thick of the fight and after a great deal of hard work landed one of these shows for Louisville.

Some of the most famous herds in the world have already been entered to compete at the Kentucky show.

Prizes for Cattle.

Nearly $4,000 is offered in premiums for beef cattle at the Kentucky State Fair, to be held in Louisville, September 11-16, and the greatest show of beef-producing animals in the history of this institution is freely predicted.

The Herefords lead off in the amount of prize money, the handsome sum of $1,550 being set apart for this breed. One-half of this sum has been contributed by the American Hereford Cattle Breeders' Association.

The Shorthorns are not far behind the Herefords, with $1,200 in prize money, of which a considerable part is given by the American Shorthorn Association.

Full classification and liberal prizes are also offered for Aberdeen-Angus and Polled Durhams.

The Polled breed will be judged on Tuesday, September 12; the Herefords on Wednesday, and Shorthorns on Thursday. Entries for this department will close Monday, September 4.

Liberal Premiums for Swine.

The Swine Department will present one of the greatest exhibits at the Kentucky State Fair, the week of September 11-16. Nearly $2,000 is offered in prize money. Liberal donations, in the way of special premiums from the various Pedigree Record Associations, have helped to swell the prize list to attractive proportions.

A new attraction at this year's show is a class for Red Berkshires. This breed originated in the county and was a very popular type of hog as far back as the Civil War period. A special feature for this section of the Swine Department will be the Red Berkshire Futurity Show.

All hogs will be judged in the very commodious and well arranged Swine Judging Pavilion. Berkshires and Poland-Chinas will be judged on Tuesday, the second day of the fair, Duroc-Jerseys on Wednesday, and Tamworths, Hampshires and Red Berkshires on Thursday. Entries for this department will close Monday, September 4.

New Pavilion for Judging Sheep.

If the prevailing high prices for mutton and wool are indicative, the Sheep Show at the Kentucky State Fair, September 11-16, should outrival all former exhibitions at this institution. The sheep exhibitors have the privilege of showing in the new Sheep Judging Pavilion this year, and another building has been added to the equipment for this department, thereby relieving the congested conditions of past years.

$1,600 is offered in cash prizes for sheep and goats. The following leading breeds of sheep are recognized in the classification: Shropshires, Southdowns, Oxfords, Hampshires, Cotswolds, Dorsets, Merinos, Rambouillets and Black Faces. Angora Goats are also well taken care of in the classification.

Entries for Sheep and Coats close Monday, September 4.

Large and Classy Chicken Exhibit.

"Oh, you chicken!" is sure to be heard at the Fourteenth Annual Kentucky State Fair in Louisville September 11-16, when State Fair visitors enter the new and attractive poultry house prepared for the exhibit of the largest number and finest variety of birds ever shown in this state, according to A. W. Haller, bird expert and pet shop owner of Louisville, who has been appointed Superintendent of the Poultry Department.

In addition to the poultry show for grown folks, the State Fair has added a department this year for juveniles, called the Boys' and Girls' Poultry Club will be one of the most entertaining and interesting features of the entire fair.

Entries in the Poultry Department close September 1, and all birds shipped to the State Fair for exhibition must be on hand and cooped for exhibition by September 8, at 8 a. m.

record-breaking entries, attracted by the premiums, the greater variety of species, the new and attractive housing and the fact that the noted Chicago judge, E. J. Tyler, will preside in the ring. The closing date for entries in the dog show is September 1.

KENNEL CLUB EXHIBIT

The dog show at the Kentucky State Fair the week of September 11-16, will be a four point show under American Kennel Club ruling and the auspices of the Kentucky Kennel Breeders' Club. It is the only A. K. C. show held in the State. Indications are for

LEGALIZING THE WORD "KICK"

Eminent Lawyer Has Made the Expression Proper by His Use of It in Courtrooms.

Because Associate Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes of the Supreme court of the United States used the expression "the defendant kicked against this," a great ado has been made of slang receiving recognition from high judicial authority. Mr. Justice Holmes, the distinguished solicitor son of Oliver Wendell Holmes, is recognized as a purist in the use of the English language and any expression emanating from him will be accepted in "Boston town" as a standard.

The word kick has long been used as one of the expressive and picturesque four-lettered words of the language. All the standard dictionaries define it: "To give a blow with the foot." It is frequently heard in ordinary expressions: To kick up one's heels; to kick up a row, a fuss, or a rumpus; kick the bucket. An internal combustion engine kicks; a gun on its recoil kicks; so does the wheel or the rudder of a boat. Shakespeare employs it in Hamlet: "But his heels may kick at heaven." Tennyson introduces it in "The Princess," and no poet exercised greater precision in the selection of words: "Make all women kick against their lords." George Eliot finds use for it in "Silas Marner": "or Godfrey kicked."

Aliterature overflows with the use of the word for general purposes. But it was left for Mr. Associate Justice Holmes to establish it in the highest hours of the United States.

CAUSES OF FURRED TONGUE

Many Reasons, Besides a Disordered Stomach, May Be Responsible for Condition.

"I suppose that there is no more unpardonable idea in the mind of the doctor than that the furred tongue is essentially an indication of a deranged stomach," writes Sir James Goodhart, consulting physician to Guy's hospital, London, in the Lancet, "and it is probably an attempt to kick against the pricks to say otherwise." Yet, according to Sir James, it is by no means always so. And he goes on to prove it by cases in his own extensive practice.

One of these was of a man in a very responsible position, a leader of men, to whom he had to give orders that had to be obeyed and from whom he had to hear much grumbling; a very hard worker and the fastest talker I have ever struck," full of energy and playing every ounce of it. He was in splendid health, but suffered from a furred tongue and a bad taste in the mouth. In his case these were not due to the stomach at all, but to a disordered state of nerve control.

"Nervous fears and nervous tastes are common enough, and they deserve a special thought," says Sir James. He believes that man is kept sweet and wholesome largely by nervous control, and when he loses this control "the parts become fevered, the mucous membrane dry, the nerves irritated, and taste is perverted." The men so affected are those who are nervous, anxious, hard workers, taking their work home with them to think about and dream about in bed.

The Carbonari.

The Italian secret society which took an active part in the struggle for national unity and liberty, and the name of which meant the "charcoal-burners" or "colliers," only became in slight degree known in 1815. The constitution of the society remains in great measure secret. Soon after its institution it numbered from 24,000 to 30,000 adherents, its rolls increased so rapidly that in March, 1820, it was said that as many as 650,000 new members were initiated. Little is really known about the secret society; it claimed great antiquity of origin, but it probably originated during the last French regime in Naples. Its movement was directed against the Neapolitan Bourbons, and toward Italian freedom.

REALTY MEN AIDED BY WAR

Millions Are Being Spent for New York Rentals in Place of Going to Europe.

After balancing fall rental accounts recently brokers throughout the ultrafashionable district have estimated that more than $10,000,000 will be paid for Manhattan homes during the coming season by families that usually make their abodes in Europe, the New York World says. Their aggregate living expenses for the year are placed near $50,000,000, most of which will be spent in New York.

More than 2,500 such families have rented apartments or private dwellings during the past few months. The have paid an average of $4,000 yearly rental, some paying as high as $25,000. Their competition for luxurious living quarters has forced normal prices to the highest levels on record and old families that have been in the habit of renting costly homes by the year, or for the social season, have had to pay fancy figures.

This was illustrated recently when Mrs. Nelson W. Aldrich, wife of the late senator from Rhode Island and closely related by marriage to the Rockefellers, paid at the rate of $100 a day, more than $30,000 a year, for Mrs. Kingsland's furnished home on the northeast corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-sixth street, for the winter season. Mrs. Kingsland herself leased it under long-term contract from William Waldorf Astor. A similar rental is being paid for the Judson Todd [illegible]

Wanted—A Souvenir.

He was a good-looking young negro whose clothes gave no indication that he was out of a job.

He entered the Enquirer office at the moment the staff was taking the relaxation which follows the consignment of the last edition to the press.

Said the young negro: "Kin go gotamen tell me whether tha's a auth'en gomman anywah 'round heah?"

"What's the matter with a northern gentman?" inquired the staff kidder.

"Boss," answered the young negro "Ah jus' got to fum Georgy. Ah'm hungry. F'Ah kin'm a gentman fum down South he'll help me out."

Maybe that's a new one. Possibly it's a late and neat way to make a raise. But if the young negro was of the level, and he looked like he was, he received its handsomest compliment in these parts in many a day.—Buffalo Enquirer.

Another "Peach" of a Peach Story.

Brown, Bartholomew and Johnson counties all combined make this story Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis live on a farm in the corner made by the three county lines. They have a peach tree on their place that has been acting in an unusual manner, and Mrs. Davis who visited Columbus, Ind., recently brought along some proof. She had one twig from the tree on which there were 16 peaches, the combined weight of which was seven pounds. There was not another peach on the tree, but the one twig did nobly. Just a little distance from this tree there is another that is sending forth its second crop of peaches, and nearly all of the limbs now are full, the peaches being about the size of guinea eggs. On the Davis farm there also is a second crop of blackberries growing.—Indiana Times.

Practicing Economy.

When the conversation turned to the subject of economy this little incident was related by Congressman Charles H. Burke of South Dakota:

Jenkins was sitting in front of the grocerie in a suburban town when a fellow-commuter came along and recoiled a dissertation on the high cost of living.

"Speaking of the high cost of living," responded Jenkins, "everything is economy down our way now. My wife is practicing it to beat the band."

"You don't mean it!" exclaimed the other. "In what way is she economizing?"

"She is economizing on my shirts,' was the rejoinder of Jenkins. "She is buying me three for a dollar, so that she can get a $15 hat."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

REPORT DECREASE OF CRIME

British Prison Commissioners Have Recently Made Report That Will Be Read With Interest.

The prison commissioners of Great Britain have just published their annual report for the year ending March, 1915. The decrease of persons who were received under sentence during the war year of 1914-15 is another proof that employment is the great cure for crime. The total number of persons convicted amounted to only 114,283, including debtors and those committed by courts-martial, a decrease of 37,320 as compared with the year of 1913-14, and the lowest number of convictions on record. The greater part of this decrease is attributed to circumstances connected with the war. Enlistment has given employment to many of the habitual petty offenders, the restricted hours for the sale of intoxicants has undoubtedly decreased the amount of crime, while the great demand for well-paid labor has given employment to the many.

A short time after the outbreak of the war orders were issued whereby many of the prisoners who had previously served in the army were allowed remission of sentence on receipt of recommendation of the military authorities, with a view to rejoining their companies. There have been over 340 inmates released for this purpose.

The report also states that drunkenness among women has decreased 7 per cent.

Our Schooling Inexpensive.

Twenty-two million persons were enrolled in educational institutions in the United States last year. And they required 700,000 teachers, of whom 566,000 were in public schools, to guide them in the paths of learning.

About $34 apiece was what it cost to give them a year of schooling. Compared with some of our other expenses as a nation, public schools seem to be a decidedly inexpensive hobby. They cost less than one-half of the nation's expenditure for alcoholic liquors, and their expense is $300,000,000 less than that of running the federal government. Even for admission to the "movies" we spend a third of what the schools require.

Measured in terms of products of the soil, the United States spent a little more for education than the value of its wheat crop, and less than half the value of the annual harvest of corn. What the ultimate value of the educational harvest will be is another question.—New York Independent.

Coin Shower Deluges Workmen.

Workmen employed on the ditch of the Rogue River Canal company set off a charge of dynamite under a stump and then the air was filled with dollars and half dollars. The blast uncovered a money cache that had apparently been buried there since the early sixties. Most of the coins were of the mintage of the fifties, and when the fall of coin began there was a wild scramble for it. The cache contained about $500, according to some; others placed the amount as high as $2,500. Some Spanish coins were found among the United States coins. How the money came to be beneath the stump, or why or when is a mystery.—Ashland (Ore.) Dispatch to Los Angeles Times.

Dog May Not Trespass.

Chief Justice Ailshie of the supreme court of Idaho makes the following comment in Fall Creek Sheep company vs. Walton on the effect of a statute relating to trespassing dogs:

"The man who drew the amendment made swine an exception in the laws of Idaho from all other kinds of trespassing animals. So now when that cloven-footed quadruped of ancient notoriety goes foraging beyond the protecting care of the swineherd he at once loses his character as a domestic animal and becomes ferae naturae, subject to capture by anyone on whose premises he may at any indiscreet moment find himself. Of course a pig doesn't care much about his character; he would ordinarily just as soon be treated as a wild animal as to be classed as if he had been domesticated for centuries. His fate is generally about the same either way."

Facts About Furs.

Although a great number of popular-priced furs masquerade under names that do not actually animal claims as his own, there is no particular secrecy about it. One of the fur concerns, for instance, publishes a catalogue to inform customers just what they are getting. Alaska bear, for example, is the best Minnesota raccoon, colored a dark brown. Adelaide chinchilla is the fur of a selected, soft haired and delicately-colored Australian opossum; French ermine is the fur of the white hare of France; Baltic fox is the fur of a large hare of northern Europe; Iceland white fox is white Tibet lamb, combed until the hair is straight; Kamchatka fox is the fur of the northern timber wolf; Manchurian fox is the fur of a variety of half-wild dog from Manchuria; Baltic lynx is the large Belgian hare; Finland lynx is a species of Australian kangaroo; Siberian bunny is selected Russian calf skin; Hudson seal is muskrat skins of selected quality; and inland seal is the skin of selected French white hare.

Framing a Children's Code.

The Missouri children's code commission appointed by Governor Major has organized the work of revising the children's laws in the state, and of drafting needed new laws to be introduced in the legislature of 1917. Most of the work will be done at the state university through the departments of law, sociology and political science. The entire commission of 21 members has been divided into subcommittees to handle various sections of the comprehensive outline of work, modeled on the general outline sent out by the federal children's bureau. Considerable help is expected from the data the latter is collecting on children's laws throughout the United States. The expenses of the commission will be met by voluntary contributions. Rhodes E. Cave, judge of the St. Louis juvenile court, is chairman, and Prof. Manley O. Hudson, of the state university, secretary.

Let Her Alone.

"I wish my wife understood baseball so that she could talk to me intelligently on the subject. I propose to keep after her until she learns."

"I think you are on the wrong tack. She doesn't expect you to understand millinery."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

FIND BY-PRODUCT OF VALUE

Chemists Are Now Extracting Wax From the Refuse From Process of Sugar Refining.

More and more of the residues of industrial processes that used to be thrown away are being found to contain some useful substance. In some cases the value of what was originally considered a "by-product" has come to exceed that of the primary product itself. The residues of sugar refining have been discovered to contain a valuable wax substance in sufficient quantities to warrant its extraction on a commercial scale.

When a section of sugar cane is examined under the microscope it is seen that from the epidermis exude little protuberances, straight or curved and disposed perpendicularly to the surface. These are made of wax, which with other waxy substances contained in other parts of the plant, passes into the juice in the process of its extraction.

The time used in almost all refineries carries them away in the refuse of the precipitation process, from which the idea of rescuing them was not long ago broached.

For this purpose the slimy residue is placed in a receptacle, where it undergoes a fermentation which destroys the fatty matters without cracking the wax. The substance is then dried in the sun and afterward in a current of warm air or in a furnace. The dry product is crushed and treated with benzine or carbon disulphid. The wax thus obtained is then refined by being extracted anew with petroleum essence, and then by filtration through clay or animal black. The residue of this extraction may be utilized as a lubricant or treated to obtain the sugar which it still contains.

Cane wax thus obtained is white or pale yellow. It much resembles in appearance Carnauba wax, as also in its hardness and high melting point. The dried slimy residue contains ten to twelve per cent of it—a sufficiently large proportion to justify the industrial treatment of these residues.

JOURNALISTS OF THE BIBLE

Savior Master of Art of Publicity, is the Assertion Made by Dean of University.

Christ was a master of the art of advertising, John proved himself a great editor and there is no better reporter than Luke, according to Walter Williams, dean of the school of journalism of the University of Missouri, who addressed a Sunday school convention in St. Louis, says a St. Louis (Mo.) dispatch to the New York Herald.

"Even Christ's last words were not for silence, but for Christian publicity," said Mr. Williams. "Whenever a church has kept the good news of the gospel to itself it has died. When it has given this news out it has conquered.

"When Kitchener wanted 1,000,000 men he advertised in the newspapers. When the church wants 1,000,000 men to aid its cause it rings a bell for five minutes on Sunday.

"Luke, with his vivid phrase, wrote the greatest report in the world—the story of Christ," said Mr. Williams. "John proved himself the best editor, for he freely used the blue pencil, stating, 'If I wished, I could fill many volumes.'

"Even the devil advertises," said Mr. Williams, "his specialty being white lights."

STILL LOOK TO AEROPLANE

Military Experts Have by No Means Abandoned Faith in This Weapon of Warfare.

It is an acknowledged fact that a moving aeroplane is an abnormally difficult target, no matter from what distance it is aimed at, because the airman can easily adopt rapid and erratic flight and evasive action at the suggestion of his progress. In a recently published book, "Aircraft in the Great War," by Claude Grahame-White and Harry Harper, the authors discuss the possibilities of duels in the air.

"If against flying craft the land guns are largely impotent—and in this war they have been—there is still the attack from the air," said here, as we have indicated, there is scope for daring work. But there is one adverse factor.

"Even a motor of 200 horse power—and this is almost the limit today—gives none too much power for a large and heavy craft; and for this reason, if a machine has a gun and ammunition and carries in addition the weight of a pilot and a combatant, its space may be so reduced that, when it seeks combat with some high-speed hostile machine it will fly so slowly that the enemy—having no such burden to check his pace—can fly out of range and so escape.

"Had there been enough machines, air fighters would have played a leading role. But, as it is, the air scout has been hampered merely in his work, and this to no great extent, instead of being driven from the air."

KEEPS CHICKENS AT WORK

Chicago Man Employs Unique Device to Increase Production of Eggs During the Cold Weather.

A resident of Chicago is reported to have devised a way to keep his chickens up to their work during the winter season, when the short days have an undesirable effect on the production of eggs. His plan is to provide his chickens with artificial light to work by, and he has installed a series of electric lights in his scheme, according to the Electrical Review:

"At six in the morning I turn on the switch, and the fowls get up, thinking it is daylight. The lights are turned off at daylight, when the neighbors' fowls are just arising. At four the lights are turned on again, and they are kept going until nine at night, when I turn out all except the two candle-power lamps. These give just sufficient light to give the appearance of dusk, and the fowls begin going to roost. I leave the small lamps lit all night, so that if any of the fowls want to get up at night to eat they can do so. Eleven days after the lights were installed the daily average jumped from 26 eggs to 82. During the molting season under the old custom, when most of the food was going to feathers instead of eggs, I had only 11 eggs a day. Now I get 62 a day during the molting season. By my method I keep the chickens thinking they are getting the same amount of daylight all the year round, and I am keeping them thinking all the time."

At the Telephone.

The printed injunction: "Don't Jiggle the hook," is seen in conspicuous places all over New York city, having been placed by the telephone company in order that its patrons may learn that the way to get the best telephone service out of the system is to be sane and gentle with the apparatus. There are people who do not know that the "central" does not respond promptly and properly the way to attract her attention is to move the receiver hook up and down slowly, very slowly. If such is the hurried one's conduct a tiny electric lamp is flashed before the face of the operator. If the hook is jiggled rapidly there is no lamp lighted at all and the operator goes about her work serenely indifferent to the perturbed state of the person at the other end of the wire. By seeing a woman at a telephone when she is in a hurry—and at other times, too—one can easily gain an insight into her character. The querulous, cranky woman flying to pieces at the phone is frequently seen. She should have "Don't Jiggle the hook" framed over the telephone stand.

Hats as Peace Tokens.

Here is a beautiful hospital story recorded by Rev. William Sellers in his new book, "With Our Fighting Men." A colonel's wife was making the round of a military ward when she noticed a wounded soldier toying with a German helmet.

"Well," she said to the soldier, "I suppose that means that you killed your man?"

"Oh, naw," quietly responded the soldier. "You see it was like this: He lay on the field pretty near me with an awful bad wound and bleedin' awful somethin' terrible. I was losin' a lot of blood, too, fra' my leg, but I managed to crawl up to him and bound him up as well as I could, and he did the same for me. Nawthin' of course was said between us. I knew no German and the ither man not a word o' English, so when he'd done, not seein' who else thank him, I just smile, and by way of token handed him my Glengarry, and he smiled back and give me his helmet."—Youth's Companion.

Bees Get Busy on Train.

Returning from the Oregon hills, after spending several days in the mountains bear hunting, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bender brought, in addition to considerable game, a pasteboard box with a swarm of bees they captured in the woods, a Williamsport (Pa.) dispatch to the Philadelphia Inquirer states.

On account of the cold the bees were mostly huddled, but when they were taken into the steam-heated passenger coach of a Northern Central train at Trout Run they began to get busy, and in a few minutes emerged from numerous punctures that had been made to give them air.

In less time than it takes to tell, the passengers had all fled to the next coach and the train held the fort for some time. Finally the conductor put on a pair of gloves, made a dash into the car and, raising the window, tossed the box of bees out into the night, but not before he had been caressed on the nose by a hot-footed one.

Building Great Warship.

The new dreadnaught California, to be completed in February, will measure 624 feet in length and for a few months will be the largest craft in the world. England is building one 800 feet long, which will probably be launched next summer.

The California is the first American naval vessel to be built with its bow curved aft below the water. The bow of the older boats curved forward below the water, so that they formed rams, which were formidable weapons. They are obsolete now because the high power of the modern naval guns makes it impossible for war vessels to come close enough together to ram each other.

The armature of the California is thicker than that of any other boat in the world. She will have a speed of 21 knots an hour and can carry 1,056 men. The cost of the boat alone is $7,000,000, but her equipment of guns and ammunition will increase the value to $15,000,000.

Game-Raising Farm.

From the first game farm in Minnesota tables of epicurus will be supplied with pheasants and mallard ducks within two years and possibly within one year, if present hopes are realized.

"We will raise ruffed grouse, prairie chickens, pheasants and ducks on our farm," said a member of the Game Protective league. "This is only a starter on the 'more game movement.' More than a hundred citizens, most of them farmers, will begin game breeding next spring both for sporting purposes and for the market.

"Every game bird raised and sold in Minnesota helps to protect the state's supply of wild game, and if my plans work out Minnesota will within a few years be the greatest game-producing state in the Union."

Upside Down and Back Again.

A singular case of salvage has come to light at Queenstown, Ireland, where the Russian steamer Saturn arrived in tow, laden with timber from Gulf Port, bound to Cork.

It appears that on September 27 the Baltzar was disabled and turned turtle in the Atlantic, but, thanks to her cargo of timber, still remained afloat. She was towed bottom upwards into Plymouth, where salvage contractor got the vessel to float again in her original position, with her decks upwards.

She was then towed to Queenstown, whence she will proceed to Cork to discharge her cargo.

That Little Matter.

A certain captain of industry, considered on an immense war contract, said in New York:

"One beauty about these contracts is their strict honesty. There are no pains to grease.

"It wasn't always so in war contracts. In fact, they tell a story about a war contractor who once broke the silence of his club reading room with a dreadful sign.

"'What's the matter?' a brother contractor asked.

"'Alas, alas!' said the first contractor; 'I've just bought 5,000,000 pairs of shoes at $1 a pair and sold them to the army for $2, and I'm afraid the loss will ruin me.'

"'Loss? Loss?' said the other contractor. 'What are you talking about, man? On 5,000,000 pairs of shoes, with a five-dollar profit, how can there be a loss?'

"'My dear fellow,' said the first contractor, sadly, 'you forget the little matter of commissions.'"

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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